





48th Annual Paseo del Rio Association

# Ford Canoe Challenge Saturday, August 6, 2016

### Fun and Adventure on The River Walk!

NEW FOR 2016 - 1 Person KAYAK Races Added for Youth Groups Only

Join the Boy Scouts of America, Alamo Area Council, Paseo del Rio Association and San Antonio River Authority on Saturday, August 6th from 7-11 a.m. for a race down the San Antonio river. The Ford Canoe Challenge includes a Scouting competition encouraging outdoor fun and adventure. The challenge is open to the public, corporations, and celebrity teams with special pricing for the Scouting community.



Register Online Now Until July 27th

Youth Group Registration is only \$15 per person per team including group leaders

**FREE T-Shirt included in price!** 

For Details and to Register Online Today: www.RiverWalkCanoeRace.com



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#### Highlights: Sature

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- New for 2016: 1-person Kayak teams is a new separate category for youth and leaders (ages 11 and older)
- Canoe racers must be 11 years of age or older OR youth ages 6-10 may race with an adult teammate
- Fee: \$15 per person per team which includes an event t-shirt (tell us sizes in advance)
- The only time anyone ever gets to canoe the beautiful River Walk
- Awards for 1st, 2nd & 3rd place winners
- Bring your own kayaks and/or canoes with your life jackets & paddles
- Canoes ONLY will be available to use day-of-event with life jackets and paddles
- Watercraft safety and information stations will be available once again and will count towards the BSA Canoeing & Kayaking Merit Badges
- · ALL teams must register through the Alamo Area Council BSA Event registration system

Schedule:

<u>Unit Check-In</u>	<u>Racing Starts</u>
7:00am+	7:15am
7:00am+	8:15am
8:45am	9:15am
9:15am	9:45am
	7:00am+ 7:00am+ 8:45am

#### Registration:

Pre-register at: www.RiverWalkCanoeRace.com

The deadline to pre-register is 7/27/2016 and there will be NO onsite registration opportunity available.

Team member substitutions will be accommodated through the registration system and/or onsite.

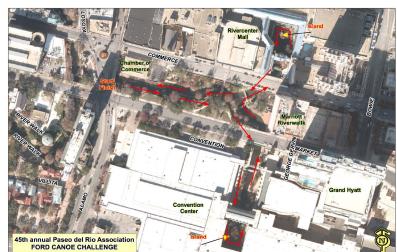
#### Steps:

- 1. From the "Individual Registration" page (also for team registrations), click "Next"
- 2. Select the type of team you want to register
- **3.** Enter the Group Point-of-Contact (even though it says Participant)
- **4.** Enter the Group Point-of-Contact phone number (on next screen)
- **5.** Enter ALL the information for the 1st team: Group Type, Unit Number/Group/Company Name, Racer #1 & 2 (first & last name, age and t-shirt size) then select the appropriate Racing Category for this team
- **6.** A summary will appear for the 1st team then select:
  - Enter more and repeat steps 3-5 again (use the same Group Point-of-Contact info)
  - Save: to exit the batch and do Payment Processing (All major credit cards and e-checks accepted.)

**Start/Finish:** The registration and awards ceremony will be at Gompers Park (street level opposite Peak Park off E. Market just across the street from the Convention Center near the Marriott Riverwalk) and the forming area/start/finish line will be in front of the Chamber of Commerce Building and under Alamo Street as it has been for the past few years!

**Course Facts:** Over the years, a fierce rivalry between Troops 471, 87, 828, 515 and others has unfolded on the famed San Antonio River Walk. Don't be left out!

- Start at the Chamber of Commerce Building near South Alamo heading east on the River Walk extension towards the Marriott Riverwalk Hotel;
- Veer right into the Convention Center Lagoon and go around the island near the Tower of the Americas;
- Exit the Convention Center Lagoon and veer to the right entering the Rivercenter Mall Lagoon going around the island stage as well;
- Re-Enter the River Walk extension heading West back to the Chamber of Commerce Building/South Alamo Street to the finish line.



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